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It's not wasteful coal
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It's not "clinkery" coal
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Block Wood, per cord	\$3.00
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Sand of all kinds and in any quantity, for cement or for plastering. Sand near Webster, also.

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THE BARRE DAILY TIMES

TUESDAY, JANUARY 26, 1909.

TRAVELERS' RAILWAY GUIDE.

Central Vermont Railway.
Trains leave Barre for White River Junction and Boston, and way stations, also Windsor and Bellows Falls and New York at 7.30 and 11.40 a. m. and 1.35 p. m. Also leave Barre for White River Junction, Bellows Falls, Springfield and New York at 4.45 p. m.
Trains leave Barre for Burlington, St. Albans, Montreal and way stations at 7.40 a. m., 1.00, 2.40 and 11.35 p. m.

Montpelier & Wells River Railroad.
Trains leave Barre for Wells River, connecting at that point with trains going both north and south, at 7.30 a. m., 12.30 and 2.30 p. m. The 12.30 train connects with train for Boston, and north for Lisbon, Littleton, Fayans and Lancaster, also with Montreal express, and the 7.30 and 2.30 trains with St. Johnsbury trains.
Trains leave Barre for Montpelier at 7.30, 8.30 a. m., 12.30, 1.30, 4.30 and 5.30 p. m.

Electric Street Railway.
Cars leave square in Barre for Montpelier at 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour. Leave Montpelier for Barre on the hour and half hour until 10 p. m.

So Easy to Understand.

A boy (15 years of age) told his father he wanted his life insured and in the National because he could read and understand its contracts. 60th year. National Life Insurance company, Montpelier, Vt. (Mutual).

S. S. Ballard, general agent, Montpelier, Vt.; N. B. Ballard, local agent, Barre, Vt.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Cash paid for watches, diamonds, gold and silver jewelry. Burr, the Jeweler.

Clairvoyant—Tuesday and Thursday, 2 p. m. to 9 p. m. Mrs. R. E. Ellis, 25 Spaulding street. Tel. 156-21.

The best farm trade ever offered by the D. A. Perry Real Estate agency is advertised in the for sale column. A farm with an income of \$5,000 a year.

EAST CALAIS

Sylvia Bliss went to Boston last week. Luella Brown has gone to Wells River to work.

C. D. Smith of Marshfield was in town Wednesday.

Ira Goodrich of East Woodbury was in town Friday.

Henry Reckard of Woodbury was in town Thursday.

Calvin Pierce of Woodbury was in town Saturday.

R. B. and R. C. Van Ornam visited in East Calais Sunday.

Galen Hatch and Mrs. Lynn Grey went to Burlington Saturday.

Forrest Tebbetta of Cabot was at the home of H. R. Leonard Sunday.

George Bliss of Marshfield was a business visitor in town Saturday.

Sadie Colley visited her parents in Woodbury Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Alfred Hatch, who had a serious operation at Mary Fletcher hospital, is reported as gaining.

Frank Dwinell and wife and son Raymond and wife of Montpelier visited at the home of Albert Dwinell recently.

Edson Spencer, mail carrier on route No. 1, failed to make his trip on Monday on account of the heavy storm.

About 20 of the young married people of the village gave Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bancroft a little surprise in the form of a "tin shower" Saturday evening, it being the 10th anniversary of their marriage. The evening was spent in a social manner and a dainty repast was served.

LOWER CABOT

Hon. J. M. Fisher was at Montpelier over Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. Fred Parrott.

Mrs. Amy Harvey is spending the winter in Philadelphia with her sister, Mrs. Leon Harvey.

The Mollys Falls Telephone Co. has installed a phone in the residence of Charles P. Hatch.

Miss Mary McAllister from St. Johnsbury is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Charles P. Hatch.

Charles P. Hatch & Co. have exchanged their store property with John T. Lewis for a farm in Hardwick. Mr. Lewis buying the stock of goods and fixtures. Mr. Lewis has taken possession of the same and Mr. Hatch has moved his family to the house of Mrs. Amy D. Harvey.

Be Satisfied

that Hill's S. R. & S. Ointment is the universal cure for every form of skin disease. We personally guarantee it. Put up in an improved style package at D. F. Davis's for 25c.

NOTICE.

The board of civil authority of the town of Barre will meet at the town clerk's office in Granville on Saturday, the 30th day of January, 1909, for the abatement of taxes.

W. H. MILES,
Clerk of Board.

NOTICE.

All persons having bills against the town of Barre are requested to present the same on or before Jan. 30th, 1909, that being the last day on which the selectmen will draw orders before the annual settlement with the auditors.

E. N. ALDRICH,
Chairman Board of Selectmen.

GRANITEVILLE.

At the regular meeting of Court Rob Roy, F. of A., to be held Tuesday evening, January 26, all members are requested to be present, as there is installation of officers and other very important business to come before that meeting. Per order John J. Sullivan, F. S.

Quarrymen attention! There will be a meeting of the Graniteville branch, No. 12, Q. W. I. U. A., held in the basement of the Catholic church, Wednesday evening, January 27, at 7 o'clock. Every member is requested to be present, as there is business of importance to come before the meeting. Per order the sec.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup

Has been used for over SIXTY YEARS by MILLIONS OF MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE SUFFERING WITH FEVERISHNESS, COLIC, SOOTHING THE CHILD, SOOTHING THE GUMS, ALLAYS ALL PAIN; CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for DIARRHEA. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other. "Crested" and "Trade Mark" are used under the Food and Drug Act, Jan. 20, 1906. Serial Number 1210, A. L. D. and WELL TRIED REMEDY.

CHELSEA

Mrs. Walter H. Beckwith was in Corinth, last week visiting at the home of Bert Slack and other relatives.

Will C. Goss who went to California, last fall with Loren Goodrich, has returned home, arriving last week Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Morse of Barre were recently the guests for a couple of days of Col. and Mrs. Herbert O. Bixby.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlo S. McNabb were called to South Stratford, January 16th, to attend the funeral of a relative, Mrs. Charles Caswell.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Willard P. Townsend who have been seriously ill for nearly two weeks, have so far recovered as to be able to be out of doors again.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rowe of Hartford, Conn., were in town a few days last to enjoy a little sleighing, and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Holton S. Annis on the West hill.

In the absence of the pastor the Rev. George E. Lake, there was no preaching service at the Congregational Church Sunday, but the sabbath school and evening meeting were held as usual.

Miss Artile Moorcroft, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moorcroft of Barre City has recently been in town visiting her grandfather, George Bradshaw and her uncle G. Bradshaw on the West hill.

Fred Grant has purchased an undivided half interest in the farm and personal property of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin A. George on the brook road on the West hill. Mr. and Mrs. George and Mr. and Mrs. Grant will reside together and carry on the farm.

Frank Libbey has worked during the past year for Horace Walker on the West hill has purchased the Irving Bowen farm on the West hill and will take possession in the near future. The place was purchased of Mrs. Julia Bowen the widow and Administratrix of the estate of the late Irving Bowen. and the consideration was \$1,475. This is considered one of the best farms in that section of the town.

Many springs in this section which were never known to dry up until the severe drought of last fall are again putting forth an abundance of water since the two recent thaws, among them being one which supplies water at the court house. Just prior to the opening of the December term of court a pipe was laid across the jail block tapping the pipe which supplies water to the jail, to bring water to the court house and during the recent cold snap this pipe froze where it crossed the stream, and janitor Wallace after two days digging with a force of help from the jail was able to connect the pipe with the spring that had been replenished during the thaws and thus re-established the old water system at the court house.

Harvey Taylor who is working in a large wholesale grocery establishment in Hartford, Conn., came home last week to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Taylor, and especially to see his mother who left the last of the week for Hanover, N. H., where she entered the Mary Hitchcock hospital for an operation. Mrs. Taylor was operated on by Dr. Gile of Hanover, N. H., at her home here for the removal of a tumor which operation was successful, but of late it has been determined that another operation was necessary and this time it was deemed best for her to go to the hospital where she was accompanied last Friday by her husband. Her previous operation was a year ago last summer.

RANDOLPH

Mrs. Mary Holbrook has gone to remain awhile friend in Bethel for an indefinite time.

Mrs. Mary Lamson and little son returned from a visit of a few days at Burlington on Sunday.

Mrs. Fannie Lewis, who has been passing several days with friends in Montpelier and Northfield, returned yesterday.

The store of J. J. Terise & Co. is closed for inventory this week, and it is expected that the new firm will take possession about the first of the month if the trade is finally closed at the completion of the inventory.

Frank Maynard, who has been in the employ of the Central Vermont railroad since last fall, has been given a regular run on the express train from Montreal to White River Junction, and assumed his duties early in this week.

Dr. Sprague of Barre was here on Sunday in consultation with Dr. Angell in regard to the case of Mrs. W. H. Gladding. It was feared that she must submit to another operation upon her head directly back of the ear, but it was decided that it was not necessary at present. Mrs. Gladding's niece, Miss Foster of Montpelier, who is a trained nurse came down and returned Monday morning.

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded. Red Cross Pharmacy, E. A. Drown, C. H. Kendrick & Co., D. F. Davis, George L. Edson, J. D. McArthur, W. H. Miles & Co., McAllister Bros., D. C. Howard, J. A. Cummings, J. W. Farmer.

MOUNTAIN CAVES IN.

Drops Suddenly Into Burning Panther Creek Coal Mine.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Jan. 26.—The largest cave-in that has ever occurred in the anthracite coal region took place last night when the side of the mountain over the burning Panther Creek mine of the Lehigh Coal & Navigation Company caved in. The sound of the cave-in was heard twenty miles. Flames from the burning mine lighted the entire valley all night long.

The mine has been on fire in the heart of the mountain for the past forty years and the company has spent a fortune in trying to extinguish it and save the rich veins of coal, said to be the finest in the region. All efforts, however, were unsuccessful. The burning away of the coal gradually ate out the support for the surface and the cave-in followed.

THE ONLY WAY

Many Barre Citizens Have Discovered It.

Just what to do when the kidneys are affected, is a question that concerns both young and old. Weak kidneys neglected in childhood lead to life-long suffering. People of advanced years, with less vitality, suffer doubly. In youth or age, languor, backache, urinary irregularity, dizziness and nervousness make life a burden.

There is one remedy that acts directly on the kidneys and cures these troubles. Doan's Kidney Pills owe their world-wide fame to the fact that they cure sick kidneys and cure them permanently. Follow the example of this Barre citizen and you will be convinced that this is so.

Mrs. Eliza Mitchell, 45 Maple avenue, Barre, Vt., says: "I was subject to attacks of kidney complaint for some time. The passages of the kidney secretions were too frequent and I also had terrible pains in my back and hips. I had dizzy spells and any cold I caught was sure to make the trouble worse. My son had used Doan's Kidney Pills and been so greatly benefited by them that I decided to give them a trial. I got a box at E. A. Drown's drug store and had taken but a few doses when I experienced relief. The pains in my back gradually diminished, the kidney secretions became more regular and my general health was improved. I consider it a pleasure as well as a duty to make the value of this remedy known to other kidney sufferers."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-McLure Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

PLENTY OF FOOD AT MESSINA.

What People Need Now Is Place For Shelter.

Messina, Jan. 26.—The American supplies for the earthquake sufferers brought here by the steamer Celtic are being distributed along the coast by Italian torpedo boats. General Mazza, the Italian officer in command of the earthquake zone, went on board the Celtic to express the gratitude of the Italian authorities and people. There is now sufficient food in Messina, but the people still need clothing and shoes. A thousand more blankets were distributed this morning. Edmund Billings, representative of the Massachusetts Relief Committee, and R. L. Carbone, his interpreter, both of Boston, have been cordially received by General Mazza, who has lodged them on board his own ship. The general said he could show his gratitude to America by treating Mr. Billings and Mr. Carbone as brothers.

MINERS KILLED.

Runaway Cars Smash in Maryland Coal Mine.

Cumberland, Md., Jan. 26.—While two cars carrying thirteen miners were being hauled up the plane of the Piedmont & Georges Creek Coal Company at Piedmont this morning, the cars became uncoupled at the top and dashed wildly down, colliding with other cars standing at the bottom.

James Condry, William Hamilton and an Italian were killed outright, and ten were injured, three probably fatally. Those expected to die are Clever Knight and two Italians. The men were piled in a heap in the wreckage of iron and splintered wood, and it was some time before they could be extricated. The plane is half a mile long.

TO SIGN PROTOCOL.

Buchanan Reports Progress in Venezuelan Settlement.

Washington, Jan. 26.—William I. Buchanan, special commissioner representing the United States Government in the negotiations with President Gomez of Venezuela for the settlement of the American claims and for the resumption of friendly relations, advised the State Department today that the work of drawing up the protocol is nearing completion. It is expected that it will be signed shortly and that Mr. Buchanan will leave for the United States the latter part of this week.

WILLIAM'S KIDNEY PILLS.

Have you neglected your kidneys? Have you overworked your nervous system and caused trouble with your kidneys and bladder? Have you pains in joints, side, back, groin and bladder? Have you a flabby appearance of the face, especially under the eyes? Too frequent desire to pass urine? If so, Williams' Kidney Pills will cure you.—At Druggist. Price 25c. Williams' Medicine Co., Cleveland, Ohio. Sold by C. H. Kendrick & Co., Barre, Vt.



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A cough syrup for babies.

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This is a tasteless castor oil.

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D. F. DAVIS "The Druggist."
262 North Main St., Barre, Vt.

My Secret.

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I was awakened by quick words and hurried footsteps outside my window. I arose and looked out. Evidently something had happened, for I saw people moving about, nearly all of them with horror depicted in their expressions.

My colored man, Sam, was coming, carrying my heavy shoes. He had taken them from my door, opening on to the porch, for the purpose of blackening them.

"What's up, Sam?" I asked as he put down the shoes.

"Why, habn't yo' heered, Marse Tom? Yo' uncle done been murdered in de night."

"My uncle! Heavens!"

I lost no time in putting on my clothes. Nathan Clingham, my uncle, had made a will, I knew, leaving his plantation and what other property he possessed to me. As soon as I was dressed I went to his house and found the neighbors in charge. At my appearance all fell back, giving place to me. My uncle had been killed with an ax, and several hundred dollars which he had with him were missing. There was no clue to the mystery.

My first act was to summon a doctor to learn how long my uncle had been dead. He gave me his opinion that the period was not less than two hours nor more than three. I saw at once the importance of quick pursuit. I organized a party at once and sent them in every direction. I, with several men and boys, took the road running past the plantation and, sending a part of my force southward, led the balance northward.

Coming to a place in the road coincident with the northwest corner of the plantation, I saw fresh tracks that had evidently been made by some one who had left the plantation at that point. I stooped to examine them. Long I looked at them, bending my face down over them rather to conceal the terror that was in me than to get a close view. Then I arose and, staggering to the side of the road, leaned against the fence.

"What's the matter with you?" asked Steve Burton, one of the party. "You're white as a ghost."

"I'm sick. I must go home. You fellows go on."

"All right," said Burton. "Better take one of the boys with you."

"I don't want any one. I'll be all right presently."

They insisted, but I wouldn't have any one with me. They helped me over the fence, and I made a bee line for home. When I saw them turn around the base of a hill, where they couldn't see me, I ran, never stopping till I reached the house and had gained my room. Then I sank into a chair with a "Thank God!"

And what was it that so suddenly threw me into such a condition?

I had on the shoes that Sam had blacked. From the heel of the right shoe the lowest layer of leather was gone, leaving six protruding nails. The forward part of the sole of the left shoe I had cut with an ax while chopping wood. The moment I had caught sight of the tracks in the road I knew they had been made by my shoes. There were the indentations of the six nails, and the cut in the toe had left its mark. If this discovery were made by those tracking the murderer, it would be proved that I had killed my uncle doubtless to gain possession of the property he had willed me. I took off the shoes, hid them and put on another pair. Then I began to think.

First, the murderer had seen my shoes on the porch, and it had occurred to him that, since he must leave his tracks, it would be safer to leave the tracks of my shoes than of his own; second, he had either come back after using them and was probably now on the plantation or he had a partner; third, he was not Sam. It was more sensible to believe that Sam had taken the boots to black after the murderer had used them than to believe that he had committed the murder himself, for he had been owned by our family in the days of slavery and was very much attached both to my uncle and to me.

The question with me was what should I do. To make known that my shoes had been used by the murderer would be equivalent to putting my neck in a halter. And the shoes—should I destroy them? If I did and it was discovered that I had done so, I would be in danger. If the shoes remained intact, were found and compared with the tracks, I would swing for murder.

I took the shoes from their hiding and placed them with my other pair. A committee hunted all over the plantation for the shoes that had made the tracks and sent diagrams of them everywhere. I waited, in terror every moment, fearing that my shoes would be examined. In a week the excitement died down, and I breathed easier. Nevertheless for years I lived burdened by my secret. At times I sent the shoes off in a box of clothing for a poor minister's family in a far distant state. It was a comfort to get rid of them, but I could not get rid of the fear that the person who had worn them at that fatal night might some day accuse me.

At last, four years after the murder, the murderer, before being hanged for another crime, confessed, telling how he had thrown his followers off his track by wearing my shoes. He had brought them back after using them and remained on the plantation for several weeks.

LAURENCE FOSTER CHURCH.

Method.

"Beside, what are you handling all those chocolates for?"

"Because, mamma, you told me I must eat only the pieces I had touched with my fingers."—Bohemian Magazine.

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